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Attorney Docket No. 70,840

**In the Patent and Trademark Office**

In re: Snail et al.  
Serial No.: (Unknown)  
Filed: October 9, 1987  
For: INFRARED INTEGRATING SPHERE

Examiner: (Unknown)  
Art Unit: (Unknown)

**Petition to Take Action**

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20230:  
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Sir:

Applicants Petition as follows:

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**I. The Facts**

Applicants filed this application eleven years ago. A copy of the filing receipt is appended hereto as "Attachment A." The Patent and Trademark Office has as yet taken no action on the case, even to the extent of forwarding Applicants a filing receipt, this despite Applicants having filed two status inquiries.

**II. Action Requested**

That the Patent and Trademark immediately inform Applicants of the status of this application, and examine this application

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immediately, in accordance with law.

Respectfully submitted,

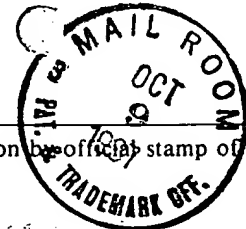


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APPLICANT Keith A. Snail et al.



Receipt of the following application papers is evidenced hereon by official stamp of the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office:

Title INFRARED INTEGRATING SPHERE

No. pages Spec. 30

No. Claims 16

No. Sheets Dwg. 2

~~Declaration~~ *Exh 10/9/87*

Information Disclosure  
Statement

Declaration of Keith  
A. Snail

*Assignment of Sptl.*

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Attachment A  
to the "Petition to Take Action"